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SUBJECT: CERP: US- GERMAN TRADE - FIRST QUARTER 1973

1. DATA OBTAINED FROM THE GERMAN FEDERAL STATISTICAL OFFICE FOR FIRST QUARTER 1973 COMMODITY BREAKDOWN OF GERMAN IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES, BASED ON CONVERTED DOLLAR VALUES, REVEAL SUBSTANTIAL INCREASES AS FOLLOWS:
FOOD, FEEDS AND STIMULANTS (UP 55 PERCENT)
RAW MATERIALS (UP 27 PERCENT)
SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS (UP 19 PERCENT)
FINISHED PRODUCTS, EXCLUDING DEFENSE ITEMS (UP 20 PERCENT).

2. LARGEST GAINS AMONG FINISHED PRODUCTS, AS FOLLOWS:
MATERIALS HANDLING EQUIPMENT (UP 58 PERCENT)
OPTICAL AND PRECISION INSTRUMENTS (UP 54 PERCENT)
PLASTICS AND PLASTIC PRODUCTS (UP 46 PERCENT)
MOTOR VEHICLES (UP 41 PERCENT)
ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT (UP 38 PERCENT)
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AIRCRAFT (UP 38 PERCENT)
PHARMACEUTICALS (UP 37 PERCENT).

3. TOTAL GERMAN IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES DURING THE FIRST
QUARTER, INCLUDING DEFENSE ITEMS, AMOUNTED TO \$1,063 MILLION, AN
INCREASE OF 15 PERCENT OVER T E COMPARABLE 1972 PERIOD. HOWEVER,
IF THE SUBSTANTIALLY LOWER IMPORTS OF DEFENSE ITEMS (DOWN
62/ PERCENT TO \$55 MILLION) ARE EXCLUDED FROM THE TOTAL, THE
YEAR- ON- YEAR INCREASE FOR THE PERIOD AMOUNTS TO 30 PERCENT.

4. DETAILS AND MARKET SHARE WILL BE REPORTED BY AIRGRAM. HILLENBRAND

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